

**APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO CHANGE POINT OF  
DIVERSION, MANNER OF USE AND PLACE OF USE OF THE  
PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA  
HERETOFORE APPROPRIATED**

Date of filing in State Engineer's Office JUN 09 2005

Returned to applicant for correction \_\_\_\_\_

Corrected application filed \_\_\_\_\_

Map filed FEB 2 2001 under 67182

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The applicant **Washoe County**, a political subdivision of the State of Nevada, the City of **Reno**, a municipal corporation, and the City of **Sparks**, a municipal corporation, as tenants in common, each to a one-third (1/3) undivided interest hereby makes application for permission to change the Place and Manner of Use of a portion of water heretofore appropriated under **Claim No. 127** of the **Truckee River Decree**, said Decree entered by the District Court of the United States for the District of Nevada in that certain action entitled "**The United States of America, Plaintiff, vs. Orr Water Ditch Company, et al, Defendants**", in Equity Docket No. A-3.

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1. The source of water is **Truckee River**
2. The amount of water to be changed **0.56 acre-feet along with a pro-rata share of the diversion rate**
3. The water to be used for **Wildlife Purposes**
4. The water heretofore permitted for **As Decreed**
5. The water is to be diverted at the following point **Same as the Existing Point of Diversion, the water will remain in the Truckee River without diversion**
6. The existing permitted point of diversion is located within **SW ¼ of the SE ¼ of Section 9, T 19N, R 18E, MDB&M, or at a point from which the Northwest corner of Section 15, T 19N, R 18E, MDB&M bears South 75° 16' East a distance of 1,650 Feet. Highland Ditch per Orr Ditch Decree**
7. Proposed place of use **The Place of Use is the Truckee River beginning at the Point of Diversion downstream to the Pyramid Lake inlet (Refer to supporting map filed with permit 67182)**
8. Existing place of use **0.15 acres in the NE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Section 10, T19N, R19E, MDB&M, APN 006-064-07, shown on TR-106 on file in the office of The Division of Water Resources, State of Nevada.**
9. Use will be from **As Decreed** to **As Decreed** of each year.
10. Use was permitted from **As Decreed** to **As Decreed** each year.
11. Description of proposed works. **Instream flows within the Truckee River from the Highland Ditch Diversion to the inlet of Pyramid Lake will be conducted in the river's natural stream channel, therefore, no other works are purposed**
12. Estimated cost of works **N/A**
13. Estimated time required to construct works **N/A**
14. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use **Ten (10) Years**

15. Remarks: 0.56 acre-feet per year to be used in the Truckee River channel for wildlife purposes

By Donald A. Mahin, Agent  
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Protested \_\_\_\_\_

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APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application, and do hereby grant the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:

This permit to change the manner of use and place of use of a portion of the waters of the Truckee River as heretofore granted under Claim 127, Truckee River Final Decree is issued subject to the terms and conditions imposed in said decree and with the understanding that no other rights on the source will be affected by the change proposed herein. A suitable measuring device must be installed and accurate measurements of water placed to beneficial use must be kept.

This permit does not extend the permittee the right of ingress and egress on public, private or corporate lands.

The issuance of this permit does not waive the requirements that the permit holder obtain other permits from State, Federal and local agencies.

The issuance of this permit fully abrogates 0.56 acre-feet per season associated with the 0.15 acres under Truckee River Claim 127 as described in the existing place of use.

The issuance of this permit is for the consumptive use portion only, being 2.5 acre-feet per acre of the base right. The remaining portion of the base right will remain in the river for use by other decreed right holders.

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The amount of water to be changed shall be limited to the amount, which can be applied to beneficial use, and not to exceed 0.0015 cubic feet per second, but not to exceed 0.381 acre-feet as decreed.

Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and be completed on or before:

N/A

Proof of completion of work shall be filed on or before:

N/A

Water must be placed to beneficial use on or before:

March 10, 2011

Proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

April 10, 2011

Map in support of proof of beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

N/A

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, HUGH RICCI, P.E.,

State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set

my hand and the seal of my office,

this 10<sup>th</sup> day of March, A.D. 2006

  
State Engineer

Completion of work filed N/A

Proof of beneficial use filed \_\_\_\_\_

Cultural map filed N/A

Certificate No. \_\_\_\_\_ Issued \_\_\_\_\_